

EC-2375. A communication from the Congressional Affairs Director, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy in the position of President, Export-Import Bank of the United States, received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 30, 2021; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2376. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; Maryland; Negative Declaration for the Oil and Gas Industry" (FRL No. 8974-02-R3) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 30, 2021; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2377. A communication from the Acting Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Health and Safety Data Reporting; Addition of 20 High-Priority Substances and 30 Organohalogen Flame Retardants; Extension of Submission Deadline" (RIN2070-AB11) (FRL No. 8204-02-OCSP) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 30, 2021; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2378. A communication from the Acting Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; Missouri; Restriction of Particulate Matter Emissions from Fuel Burning Equipment Used for Indirect Heating" (FRL No. 8757-02-R7) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 30, 2021; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2379. A communication from the Acting Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval of Air Quality Implementation Plans; New York; 2011 Periodic Emission Inventory SIP for the Ozone Non-attainment Areas" (FRL No. 8943-02-R2) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 30, 2021; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2380. A communication from the Acting Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; Arizona; Maricopa County Air Quality Department" (FRL No. 8996-02-R9) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 30, 2021; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2381. A communication from the Acting Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; Illinois; National Ambient Air Quality Standards Updates; Reference and Equivalent Methods Updates" (FRL No. 9003-02-R5) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 30, 2021; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. CARPER, from the Committee on Environment and Public Works:

Report to accompany S. 1931, An original bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to authorize funds for Federal-aid highways and highway safety construction programs, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 117-41).

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. PETERS for the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

*Rupa Ranga Puttagunta, of the District of Columbia, to be Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

*Tovah R. Calderon, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for the term of fifteen years.

*Kenia Seane Lopez, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

*Cathy Ann Harris, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Merit Systems Protection Board for the term of seven years expiring March 1, 2028.

*Cathy Ann Harris, of Maryland, to be Chairman of the Merit Systems Protection Board.

*Raymond A. Limon, of Nevada, to be a Member of the Merit Systems Protection Board for the term of seven years expiring March 1, 2025.

*Sean C. Staples, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

*Tristan Lynn Leavitt, of Idaho, to be a Member of the Merit Systems Protection Board for the term of seven years expiring March 1, 2023.

*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself and Mr. BURR):

S. 2940. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent the 7-year recovery period for motorsports entertainment complexes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CASSIDY (for himself, Mr. KING, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mrs. SHAHEEN, and Mr. MANCHIN):

S. 2941. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to limit the liability of health care professionals who volunteer to provide health care services in response to a disaster; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BOOKER (for himself and Mr. MENENDEZ):

S. 2942. A bill to reauthorize the Crossroads of the American Revolution National Heritage Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. WARREN:

S. 2943. A bill to require certain entities to disclose to the Secretary of Homeland Security ransom payments, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. PAUL:

S. 2944. A bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending Sep-

tember 30, 2022, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Ms. ERNST (for herself, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. TILLIS, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. CRAMER, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. COTTON, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. LEE, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. HOEVEN, Mrs. CAPITO, and Mr. BOOZMAN):

S. 2945. A bill to include sexual assault and aggravated sexual violence in the definition of aggravated felonies under the Immigration and Nationality Act in order to expedite the removal of aliens convicted of such crimes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself and Mr. WICKER):

S. 2946. A bill to require the Secretary of the Navy to notify Congress of pending action to strike from the Naval Vessel Register any naval vessel that is a viable candidate for artificial reefing, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. RUBIO:

S. 2947. A bill to require the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to provide a disclosure notice to homebuyers of properties owned by the Department of Housing and Urban Development that are located in special flood hazard areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. CRAPO (for himself, Mr. RISCH, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. BRAUN, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. CRUZ, Mr. ROUNDS, and Ms. LUMMIS):

S. 2948. A bill to protect the right of individuals to bear arms at water resources development projects; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. LEE:

S. 2949. A bill to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 and the Geothermal Steam Act of 1970 to describe the scope of activities subject to a presumption of the applicability of an exclusion under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. SCHATZ (for himself, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. COONS, and Ms. WARREN):

S. 2950. A bill to combat illegal deforestation by prohibiting the importation of products made wholly or in part of certain commodities produced on land undergoing illegal deforestation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LANKFORD:

S.J. Res. 27. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to limiting the number of terms that a Member of Congress may serve; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Ms. SMITH (for herself, Mr. HOEVEN, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. ERNST, Mr. GRASSLEY, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. Res. 408. A resolution designating October 2021 as "National Co-op Month" and commending the cooperative business model and the member-owners, businesses, employees, farmers, ranchers, and practitioners who use the cooperative business model to positively impact the economy and society; to the Committee on the Judiciary.